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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: ASEAN BUS

REF: SINGAPORE'S 3441 PREVIOUS

1. COMMERCE HAS DISCUSSED THIS PROJECT WITH GEN. CHARLES LECRAW
OF WILBUR SMITH. GEN. LECRAW IS MILITARY LOGISTICS EXPERT
WHO INDICATES HIS COMPANY EXTREMELY INTERESTED IN UNDERTAKING
LOGISTICS/ECONOMICS/MARKETING STUDY OF BUS QUESTION. WILBUR
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SMITH WILL SHORTLY BE ENGAGED IN SIMILAR EXECISE FOR ANOTHER

GOVERNMENT (NOT IN SOUTHEAST ASIA) AND HAS EXPERIENCE PERSONNEL CAPABLE OF CARRYING OUT STUDY. WHILE FIRM'S LOGISTICAL EXPERTISE RESTS WITH INDIVIDUALS PRESENTLY LOCATED IN UNITED STATES, GEN. LECRAW IS CABLING SMITH PERSONNEL IN SINGAPORE WITH SUGESSTION THEY CONTACT AMBASSADOR FOR DISCUSSION OF PROJECT.

2. COMMERCE WILLING TRANSMIT INFORMATION ON OTHER CONSULTANTS. HOWEVER, SINCE WILBUR SMITH ALREADY HAS TRANSPORTATION STUDY CONTRACTS WITH GOS, FIRM WOULD SEEM TO BE NATURAL CONTACT FOR HOCHSTADT AND SITWAWALLA. KISSINGER

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